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For: **FASTENER ASSEMBLY, FASTENER TAPE MATERIAL, BAG
UTILIZING FASTENER TAPE MATERIAL, AND METHOD
OF MANUFACTURE THEREOF**



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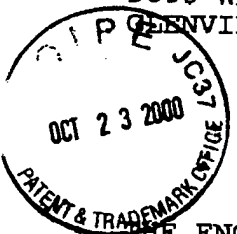
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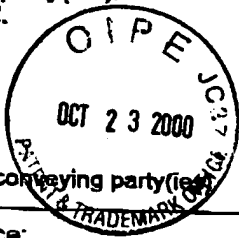
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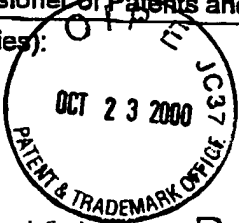
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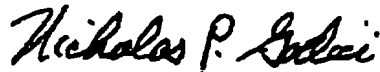
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